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Biennial Budget: 2013-15

Topic: Superfund Management Assistance Program

Tracking Code: BB0165

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Agency Acronym: DNR

Agency Number: 370

Priority: Medium

Intent:

Design a superfund management assistance program whereby responsible parties may enter into agreements with DNR to reimburse the state for staff involvement at Superfund cleanup sites in Wisconsin.

See attached

Attachments: True

Please send completed drafts to statlanguage@wisapps.wi.gov

Department of Natural Resources 2013-15 Biennial Budget Additional Topics for Consideration

Wisconsin DNR Staff Support at EPA Priority Sites

Request

- Proposal would allow Responsible Parties (RP's) at EPA Superfund Sites to reimburse Wisconsin
 DNR directly for efforts provided at the RP's site rather than having them make the payment to EPA
 which adds an overhead assessment to the fee they charge
- The Bureau for Remediation & Redevelopment (RR) provides management and technical support to the EPA Superfund National Priorities List (NPL) sites throughout Wisconsin (45 in total)
- RPs will fully reimburse the department for staff involvement at NPL sites, but they seek to avoid paying Superfund overhead costs.

Benefits

- Funding to support management of EPA priority sites in Wisconsin would continue under the Superfund Multisite Cooperative agreement for those sites that RPs choose not to enter into the state program.
- RPs will avoid having to pay Superfund indirect for the state's involvement at their sites.
- This shift in administration of Superfund Sites benefits Wisconsin by providing a more predictable funding source for the state's oversight activities.
- This is largely due to the fact that states throughout EPA Region 5 are awarded funding based on the number of sites and the status (i.e. phase) of cleanup activities

Issue Statement

- The Bureau for Remediation & Redevelopment (RR) provides management and technical support to the EPA at Superfund National Priority List (NPL) sites throughout Wisconsin (45 in total)
- Superfund NPL sites are generally large and complex, requiring extensive assistance from the department to ensure protection of public health and the environment.
- Responsible Parties (RPs) with Sites in Wisconsin seek to pay the DNR directly for the department's involvement at Superfund cleanup sites for which the RP is responsible.
- RPs seek to fully reimburse the department for staff involvement at NPL sites, but seek to avoid paying Superfund overhead costs.
- Preliminary discussions with EPA lead department staff to believe that EPA would be amendable to such an agreement

Background

The Bureau for Remediation & Redevelopment (RR) provides management and technical support to the EPA at Superfund National Priority List (NPL) sites throughout Wisconsin. Superfund NPL sites are generally large and complex and require extensive assistance from the department to ensure the protection of public health and the environment. This assistance includes involvement in all phases of the Superfund cleanup process including: Remediation Investigation / Feasibility Study, Remedial Design, Remedial Action, and Long-Term Response Actions. The department also involves the public and local officials in the development of cleanup plans. The department receives funding directly from EPA to support this work through the Superfund Multisite Cooperative Agreement.

The Multisite grant provides \$283,978 in annual funding to the state and funds 2.5 FTEs in the department (2.0 FTE in RR and 0.5 FTE in Water) at 45 Superfund cleanup sites throughout Wisconsin.

Under the Multisite agreement, department staff code their time to site-specific activity codes. The department then bills EPA for reimbursement and provides EPA with expenditure detail at each of the cleanup sites. EPA then decides whether or not to pursue a cost recovery effort with the responsible

Implementation:

- Statutory language to design a Superfund Management Assistance program whereby RPs may enter into agreements with the department to reimburse the state for staff involvement at Superfund cleanup sites in Wisconsin.
- The Superfund Management Assistance statutes should direct the department to promulgate rules to
 establish a fee schedule to offset the cost of the department's activities at these Superfund cleanup
 sites.
- The fee schedule for the Superfund Management Assistance program could be modeled after the VPLE Program, established in Administrative code NR 750.
- Revenues from the Superfund Management Assistance program would be deposited into a new appropriation established within the Environmental Management Account.



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Becky-

I just got some feedback from the draft for Superfund management assistance from DNR. I attached what they shared with me.

From what they've told me the language as drafted works, but they'd like to incorporate a reference to existing rules for fees. Attached are the 3 options they've suggested in order of preference. So, for a redraft we'll focus on Option #1 unless there is some sort of legal issue with that.

Let me know if you have any questions. This is the last re-draft for your drafts, other than Title V and PECFA, that I am aware of even being out there as a possibility unless something massively unexpected happens.

Cory Stinebrink Executive Policy and Budget Analyst State Budget Office (608)266-1103 Option #1: Write in the statute that DNR would use the same hourly billing rate established in ch NR 750.07(2):

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Option #2: Include the language above directly in the statute, with one minor change:

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Option #3: Charge fees established in NR 749.



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Becky-

DNR has just gotten back to me about the Superfund management assistance draft, and they are having some concerns about the appropriation that is created in it.

So, if we could redraft this one to remove the new appropriation created in Section 1. Instead, they would like to have all of this funded out of 20.370(2)(dh) Solid waste management – remediated property. So, I would guess adding some reference to your newly created s.292.31(7)(d) in Section 2 of the current draft.

Did I express that coherently? If not, let me know if you have any questions.

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